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Art Unit 3693					
Applicant(s): J. Hitchings et al.					
Invention: LIKE KIND EXCHANGE SYSTEM AND METHOD					
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2007, please consider the following remarks:

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